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Examiner: Son T. Nguyen

PETITION TO SUBMIT MODEL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.91(a)

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Dear Sir:

Applicant hereby petitions that the model submitted in the accompanying Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be considered by the examiner.

Applicant believes the entry of the model is necessary. As the examiner has pointed out, certain aspects of the non patent prior art are not discernable from the previously submitted photographs taken of the model. As a result, an inspection of the model is necessary for a proper examination of the application.

A check in the amount \$130.00 as required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(h) is enclosed.

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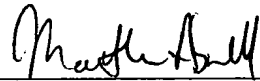
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